(Sri K. H. PATIL)

The Hon. Chair may kindly consider the statement and order. for expunction of the same from the records.

Expungtion to the statements which are in consistents with the dignity of the House.

MR. SPEAKER.—I shall consider the statements made both by the Hon. Minister for Co-operation and the hon. member. The statements which are not in consistent with the dignity and decorum of this House will be expunged from the records.

MR. SPEAKER—Next item.

SRI K. H. PATIL.—Before proceeding to the next item, I would like to raise a point of order. My point of order is that yetserday after the papers were laid on the Table of the House some more business was taken up for consideration by this House at about 6.55 P.M. or so. Myself and several other hon. members staged a walk-out in protest against the action of the Government in delaying the laying of rules on the table of this House. The House was t have adjourned at 6 P. M. and there was no further extension of the sittings also, I felt no further agenda should have been taken up for consideration. Therefore what ever business was transacted after that, may be deleted from the proceedings and the same be taken up to-day.

SRI M. N. RAMANNA.—Sir, at about 6.30 P M. the time was extended by the Chair till 7.00 P.M.

MR SPEAKER —The position is that only theti me of commencement of the day's sittiugs is mentioned in the list of business. As a matter of convention the House is being adjourned at 6.00 P.M. Further, the time was extended till 7.00 P.M. as pointed out by hon member Sri M. N. Ramanna.

Discussion of the annual financial statement of the MSEB for 1970-71. Motion to consider (debate continued).

SRIH. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Sir, I find that yesterday dated 3rd April 1970 the Hon. Chief Minister appears to have made a speech on the floor of the House in regard to the Electricity Board. I want to know whether actually did so ?

MR. SPEAKER—The speech copies were circulated to the members. The Hon Chief Minister read only one para of his speech. Since printed copies of the speech were placed on the table and in order to save the time, the rest of the speech was taken to have been read.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಹುಚ್ಚಮಾಸ್ತಿ ಗೌಡ:—ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ಮಂಡಲಿಯ ಫೈನಾನ್ಷಿಯಲ್ ಸ್ಟೇಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟನ್ನು ಚರ್ಚೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ತೀರ್ಮಾನವಾದ ಮೇಲೆ ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ನಮ್ಮ ಮುಂದೆ ಬಂದಿದೆ, ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಮುಂಚೆ ಬರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಫೈನಾನ್ಷಿಯಲ್ ಸ್ಟೇಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಸಭೆಯ ಮುಂದೆ ಇಡುವಾಗ ಭಾಷಣ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾದ್ದು ಮುಖ್ಯ. ಆ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಷಣ ಮಾಡಲ್ಲಿಲ್ಲ. ನಮಗೆ ಪುಸ್ತಕಗಳನ್ನು ಹಂಚಿದರು. ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಸಿಟಿ ಬೋರ್ಡಿನ ಹಣಕಾಸಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಚರ್ಚೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು ಎನ್ನುವ ಉದ್ದೇಶ ಮೊದಲು ಇರಲಿಲ್ಲ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಕಲಾಪ ಸಲಹಾ ಸಮಿತಿ ಮೊನ್ನೆ ಸೇರಿದಾಗ ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಸಿಟಿ ಬೋರ್ಡ್ ಬಜೆಟ್ ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ತೀರ್ಮಾನವಾಯಿತು. ಹಾಗೆ ತೀರ್ಮಾನವಾದಮೇಲೆ ಇದು, ಸಭೆಯ ಮುಂದೆ ಬಂದಿದೆ. ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಷಣ ಮಾಡಲಿಲ್ಲ, ಒಂದು ಪ್ಯಾರಾ ಅಲ್ಲ ಒಂದು ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನೂ ಓದಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಬರೀ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ನಮ್ಮ ಮುಂದೆ ಬಂದಿದೆ. ನಮಗೆಲ್ಲ ಪುಸ್ತಕಗಳು ಬಂದ ಮೇಲೆ ಭಾಷಣ ಮಾಡಿದರು, ಒಂದು ಪ್ಯಾರಾ ಓದಿದರು ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುವುದು ಆಶ್ಚರ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಕಾಣುತ್ತದೆ. ವಿತಕ್ಕೋಸ್ಕರ ಈ ರೀತಿಯಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ ಇದೊಂದೂ ನಮಗೆ ಅರ್ಥವಾಗುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ.

MR. SPEAKER:—The speech copies were made available to members yesterday. The Hon. Chief Minister moved a formal motion yesterday that the Annual Financial Statement of the Electricity Board be taken into consideration. Without a formal motion being made in this behalf, the Annual financial statement cannot be taken up for consideration. After the said motion was moved, the Hon. Chief Minister was entitled to mark preliminary remarks and in that context the speech was made by the Hon. Chief Minister. the copy of the printed speech of the Hon. Chief Minister has been laid on the table and also distributed to the Members. just to save the time of the House, the Hon. Chief Minister was allowed to read a para and the rest of his speech was taken to have been read.

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA:—I had given notice of a motion about the burning of the records in this Electricity Board. I do not know whether I can speak on that and whether that subject comes into discussion in this debate.

Mr. SPEAKER:— I have made it clear yesterday that Hon. Member can refer to the burning of the records or damage caused by fire while speaking on the Annual Financial statement of the Mysore State Electricity Board. That subjet is deemed to be before the House. A separate motion in that behalf therefore becomes unnecessary.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ನಾಗಪ್ಪ:—ಈ ದಿವಸದ ಅಜೆಂಡಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಸದಸ್ಯರ ಖಾಸಗೀ ಮಸೂದೆಗಳ ಮೇಲಿನ ಚರ್ಚೆ ಎಂದಿದೆ. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ನನ್ನ ಒಂದು ಮಸೂದೆ ಇದೆ. ಆದರೆ ತಾವು ಈ ದಿವಸ ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನ ಕೂಡುವುದು ಉಂಟೇ—ಇಲ್ಲವೇ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರೆ ಉತ್ತಮ. ತಾವು ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನಕ್ಕೆ ಅಧಿವೇಶನವಿದೆ ಎಂಬ ಭರವಸೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟರೆ ಪರವಾಗಿಲ್ಲ.

Mr. SPEAKER :—It is the intention of the Chair as well as the intention of the House to meet also in the afternoon at 2 P.M. or 2-30 P.M. and transact the remaining business on the agenda including the private Members Bill.